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FOLLOWING TELEGRAM FROM JIDDA DATED JANUARY 22, 1977
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S E C R E T JIDDA 0539

SECDEF FOR OASD/ISA/DSAA/SA

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: SA, US, YE

SUBJECT: ARMS FOR YEMEN

1. A MODA FOREIGN AID TEAM HEADED BY LT. GENERAL ALI MAJID KABBANI,
G-3 HEAD AND COMMANDER OF THE FOREIGN AID OFFICE, WAS DISPATCHED
TO YEMEN ON JANUARY 18.

2. GENERAL KABBANI AND THE HEAD OF THE AIR FORCE SECTION OF
THE FOREIGN AID OFFICE, COLONEL 'ABDALLAH FADL, ARE
UNDERSTOOD TO BE INSPECTING THE THREAT TO YEMEN PRESENTED BY
RECENT YEMENI COMPLAINTS OF OVERFLIGHTS BY ETHIOPIAN
AIRCRAFT.

3. COMMENT: THE BASIC SAUDI AIR FORCE POSITION ON AID TO
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THE YEMENIS HAS BEEN AND IS EXPECTED TO REMAIN THAT IT IS
FOOLISH TO GIVE SOPHISTICATED PLANES AND RADAR TO A STATE
LACKING THE TECHNOLOGICAL BASE TO ABSORB THEM. FOR THE
TIME BEING THE RSAF ASSUMES THAT AID TO THE YEMEN WILL
REMAIN IN THE HANDS OF THE ARMY AND THE MINISTRY OF INTERIOR.
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